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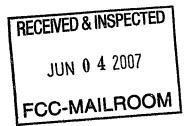
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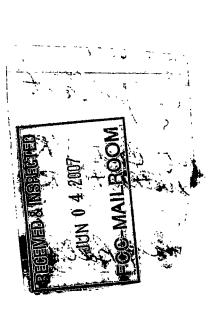
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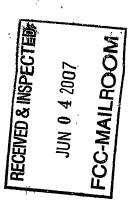
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- Provide service and technology improvements, such as the development of new videophone equipment, fulfilling the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) mandate of functionally equivalent telecommunications services

I, along with other deaf individuals, their families and coworkers, depend on VRS and other relay services.

Please stop any VRS program cuts and fulfill the mandate of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) to provide deaf people with functionally equivalent telecommunications services.

Sincerely,

Kathleen Feldman

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RE: CG Docket No. 03-123

DATE: May 30, 2007

Federal Communications Commission (FCC) 445 Twelfth Street SW Washington, DC 20554

Dear Chairman Martin, Commissioners Adelstein, Copps, McDowell, and Tate:

I am a hearing person and I use Video Relay Service (VRS) to communicate with many of my deaf friends and colleagues. It is still very new technology to many. I am appalled to learn that the FCC staff is intent on drastically cutting the VRS rate, hence effectively cutting VRS availability for the deaf. Instead of seeking to limit the number of deaf people with VRS access, the FCC should do everything in its power to make VRS available to more deaf people. Public places should be outfitted with the access!

I, along with many Deaf/deaf individuals, and many hard-of-hearing/hearing impaired, as well as speech impaired individuals, use these services. It is an important way in which to communicate with deaf individuals. I urge you to do everything you can to make VRS service available to the many deaf people who currently do not have access to this vital, life-changing service.

The VRS rate should encourage the VRS providers to:

- Service more deaf people, not discourage them from reaching out
- Provide interpreter training programs so that there will be an adequate number of qualified interpreters for VRS and the local Deaf communities
- Provide service and technology improvements, such as the development of new videophone equipment, fulfilling the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) mandate of functionally equivalent telecommunications services

Please stop any VRS program cuts and fulfill the mandate of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) to provide deaf people with functionally equivalent telecommunications services. Thank you.

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